IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Robert Patrick Hof) Confirmation No. 7528
Application No. 10/501,250) Group Art Unit: 1625
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For: Process for the Preparation of 2-(6-Substituted-1,3-Dioxane-4-yl) Acetic Acid Derivatives) Date: December 18, 2007)

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action dated September 19, 2007, the time for responding to which extends through December 19, 2007, Applicants request reconsideration of the claims of the subject application in view of the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.